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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:
SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR ENABLING GRAPHIC APPLICATIONS IN AN INTERACTIVE PROGRAMMING MODEL

and invented by:

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part(CIP) of prior application
No.S/N 09/574,138 filed 18 May 2000 for "System and Method for Enabling Graphic Applications in an Interactive Programming Model"

Enclosed are:

Application Elements

01. ☒ Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
02. ☒ Specification having 34 pages and including the following:
 - a. ☒ Descriptive Title of the Invention
 - b. ☒ Cross References to Related Applications (if applicable)
 - c. ☐ Statement Regarding Federally-sponsored Research/Development (if applicable)
 - d. ☐ Reference to Microfiche Appendix (if applicable)
 - e. ☒ Background of the Invention
 - f. ☒ Brief Summary of the Invention
 - g. ☒ Brief Description of the Drawings (if drawings filed)
 - h. ☒ Detailed Description
 - i. ☒ Claim(s) as Classified Below
 - j. ☒ Abstract of the Disclosure
03. ☒ Drawing(s) when necessary as prescribed by 35 USC 113)
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Application Elements (Continued)04. ☒ Oath or Declaration

- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy) ☐ Not executed
- b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional application only)
- c. ☒ With Power of Attorney ☐ Without Power of Attorney

05. ☐ Incorporation By Reference (usable if box 4b is checked)

The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Item 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

06. ☐ Computer Program in Microfiche (Appendix)07. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all must be included)

- a. ☐ Paper Copy
- b. ☐ Computer Readable Copy (identical to computer copy)
- c. ☐ Statement Verifying Identical Paper and Computer Readable Copy

Accompanying Application Parts08. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))09. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(B) Statement (when there is an assignee)10. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)11. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS citation12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment13. ☒ Acknowledgment postcard14. ☒ Certificate of Mailing☐ First Class☒ Express Mail (Label No: EL598673183US)15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)

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16. ☐ Additional Enclosures (identify below)

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